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Re: U.S. Utility Patent No. 7,148,349 B2
Issue Date: December 12, 2006
(from Appl. No. 10/698,924; Filed: October 31, 2003)
For: **Cyclic Phosphate Diesters of 1,3-Propane-1-Aryl Diols and Their Use
In Preparing Prodrugs**
Inventors: REDDY *et al.*
Our Ref: 2358.0180003/RWE/BAH

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Payment in the amount of **\$100.00** to cover the filing of a Certificate of Correction (37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a) is included with this submission and is being paid via online credit card payment;
2. Request for Corrected Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322; and
3. Four (4) pages of Form PTO/SB/44.

The above-listed documents are filed electronically through EFS-Web.

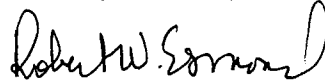
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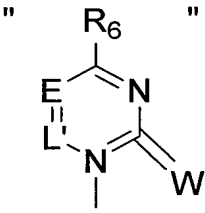
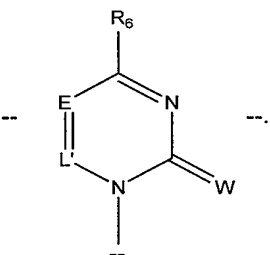
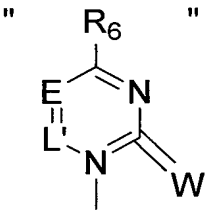
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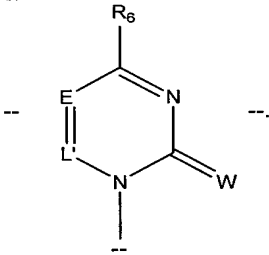
Sir:

It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 be issued for the above-captioned United States Patent. This Certificate of Correction is being requested due to mistakes which appear in the printed patent. These mistakes were made by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Specifically, the printed patent contains the following errors for which a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested:

Requested Change	Location of Support in File History
Page 2, column 2, lines 5 to 6, after Jacobsen, E.N., <i>et al.</i> , and before Li <i>et al.</i> , insert therein -- Kobayashi <i>et al.</i> , <i>Tetrahedron Lett.</i> 27:4745 (1986). --	Page 4 of PTO/SB/08A attached to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2005.
Page 4, column 1, line 15, please delete "36:1145-11148, Consultants Bureau	Page 5 of PTO/SB/08A attached to the Notice of Allowance mailed February 6,

(1987)." and insert therein -- 36:1145-1148, Consultants Bureau (1987). --	2006.
Column 63, line 6, please delete "40° C." and insert therein -- 40° C --.	Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 4, claim 102.
Column 64, line 61, please delete "MCC ₄₇₈ ;" and insert therein -- MCC478; --.	Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 9, line 7 from the bottom.
Column 64, line 62, please delete "Famoclovir" and insert therein -- Famciclovir --.	Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, page 9, line 6 from the bottom.
<p>In column 65, lines 25 to 32, please delete</p> <p>"</p>  <p>and insert therein</p>  <p>--</p>	Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 10, line 5.
<p>In column 66, lines 53 to 60, please delete</p> <p>"</p>  <p>and insert therein</p>	Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 13, line 2.

	
<p>Column 67, line 30, please delete "40° C." and insert therein -- 40° C --.</p>	<p>Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 14, claim 126.</p>
<p>Column 69, line 31, please delete "40° C." and insert therein -- 40° C --.</p>	<p>Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 18, claim 134.</p>
<p>Column 71, line 22, please delete "40° C." and insert therein -- 40° C --.</p>	<p>Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 23, claim 157.</p>
<p>Column 72, lines 65 to 66, please delete "9-(2'-deoxy-2'-fluororibofuranosyl)guanine;" and insert therein -- 9-(2'-deoxy-2'-fluororibofuranosyl)guanine; --.</p>	<p>Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 28, lines 10-11.</p>
<p>Column 73, line 5, please delete "MCC₄₇₈;" and insert therein -- MCC478; --.</p>	<p>Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 28, line 6 from the bottom.</p>

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Support for this change can be found in Applicants' Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on December 22, 2005, at page 29, lines 4-5.

Remarks

The above-noted corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and issuance thereof is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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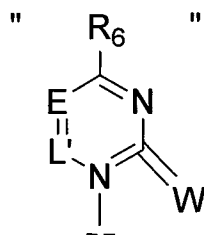
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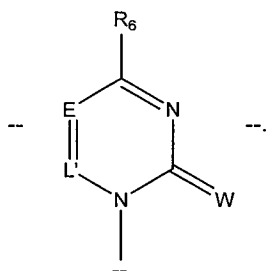
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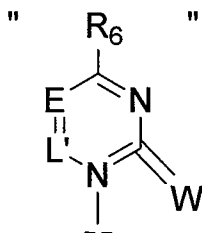
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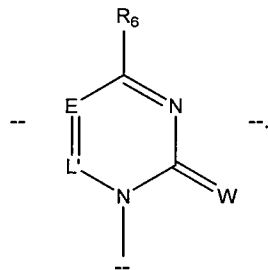
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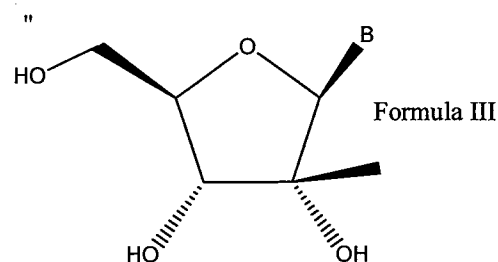
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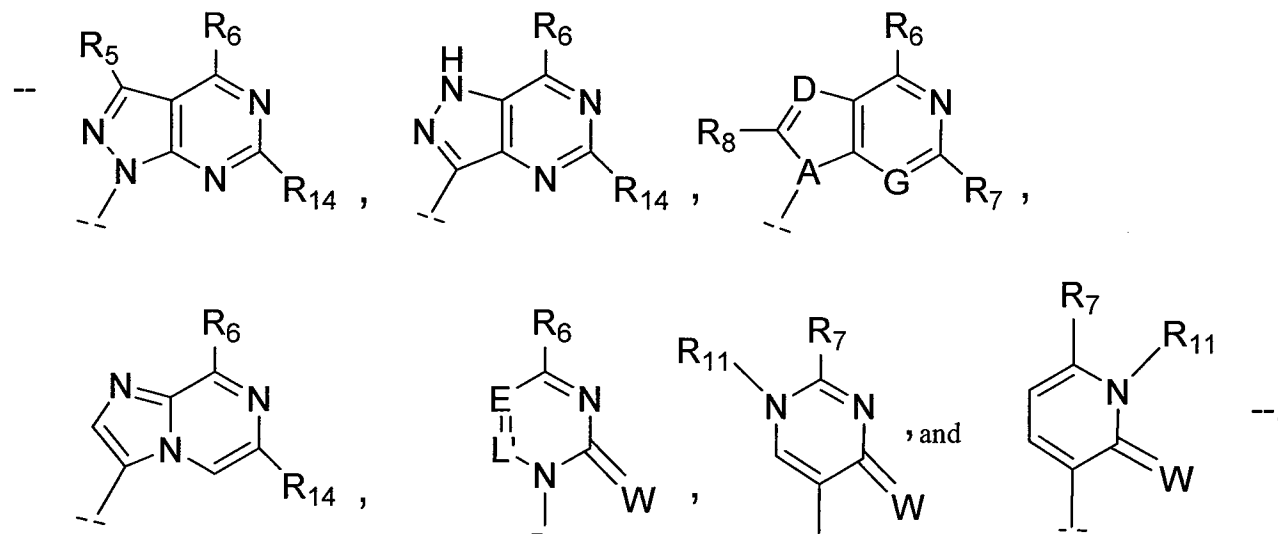
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